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**It Is
Written**

Matthew 4:1-11

¹ Then was Jesus led up of the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted of the devil.

² And when he had fasted forty days and forty nights, he was afterward

an hungered.

³ And when the tempter came to him, he said, If thou be the Son of God, command that these stones be made bread.

⁴ But he answered and said, **It is written, Man shall**

**not live by bread
alone, but by
every word that
proceedeth out of
the mouth of God.**

**⁵ Then the devil
taketh him up
into the holy city,
and setteth him
on a pinnacle
of the temple,**

**⁶ And saith unto
him, If thou be
the Son of God,
cast thyself down:
for it is written,
He shall give his
angels charge
concerning thee:
and in their hands
they shall bear
thee up, lest at**

**any time thou
dash thy foot
against a stone.**

**⁷ Jesus said
unto him,**

**It is written
again,**

**Thou shalt
not tempt
the Lord
thy God.**

**⁸ Again, the devil
taketh him up into
an exceeding high
mountain, and
sheweth him all
the kingdoms of
the world, and
the glory of them;**

**⁹ And saith unto
him, All
these things**

will I give thee,
if thou wilt fall
down and
worship me.

¹⁰ Then saith
Jesus unto him,
**Get thee hence,
Satan: for
it is written, Thou
shalt worship
the Lord thy**

**God, and him only
shalt thou serve.**

**¹¹ Then the devil
leaveth him, and,
behold, angels
came and
ministered
unto him.**

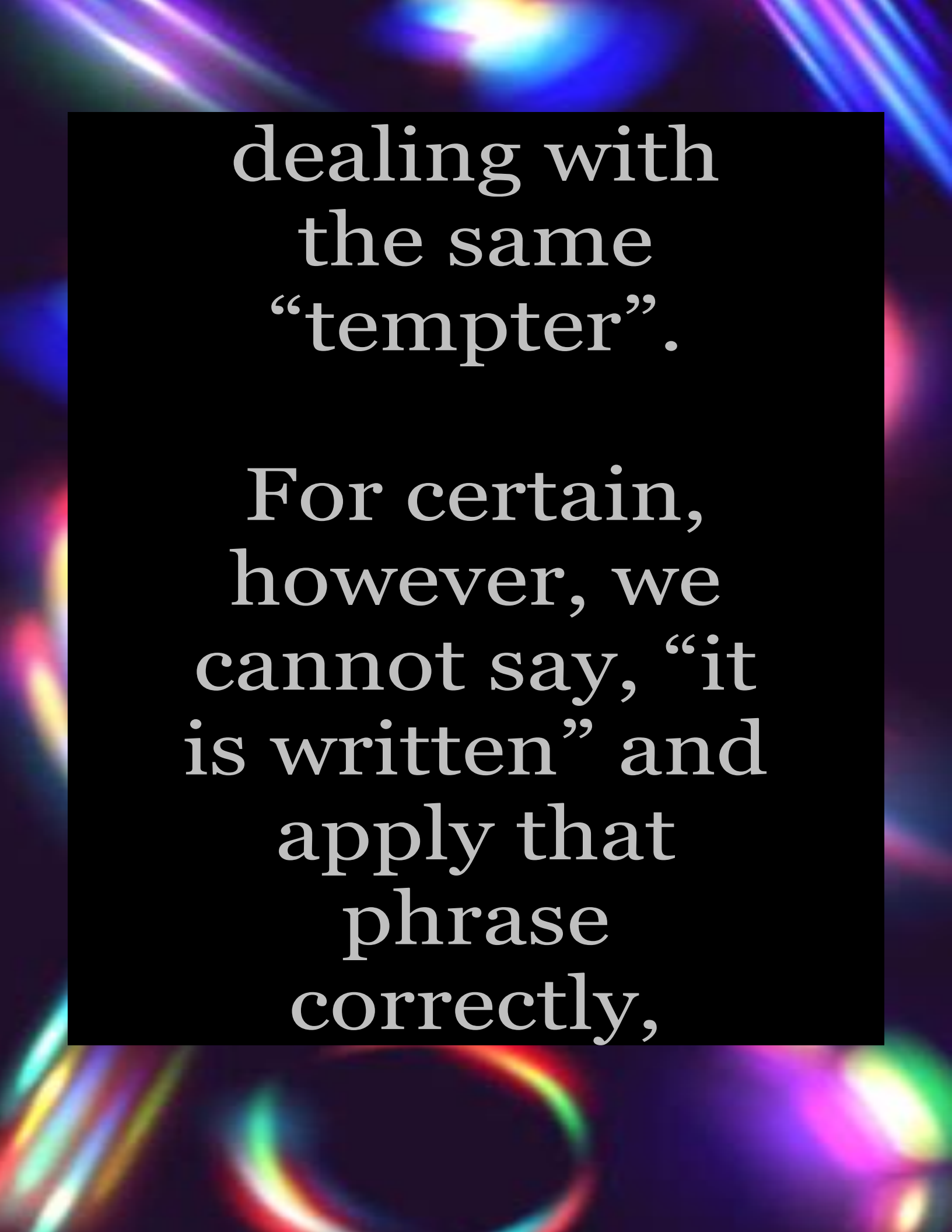
It Is Written

Three times,
while in the
wilderness,
Jesus combated
enticements
through proper
use of
“it is written”.

Those words

were accurately
understood and
correctly applied
by him.

The biblical
passage is an
example and
lesson to
followers of
Jesus when



dealing with
the same
“tempter”.

For certain,
however, we
cannot say, “it
is written” and
apply that
phrase
correctly,

if we don't know
what is written
at the start.

We need to
know what
is written.

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